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Till entangled in the mase,
There they nestling bide the white,
With their joyous, beaming smile
Lighting up each sunny our!—
Have you seen my little girl?

Should you meet hor, you may trace Where the gleeful blushes chase One another o'er her cheek, In and out at hide and seek; Or, if started, in a group Huddling there—the timid troop—They my little girl may show With her features all aglow.

Should you hear her, you would know From the happy, sparkling flew Of her soft, awest words, that start From the pure springs of her hear—And like rills of music seem—In a lim sd., parting stream Rippling over teeth of pearl, That it was my little girl.

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disclosed a level strip two or three miles in length hefore us, I said to myself.

The force we have traveled the road now in view, I will settle my fate, and go hear and the other twenty-five 400-pounders, and the other twenty-five 400-pounders. These two principal forts, commanding the appier or more miserable man."

Hardly had I come to this conclusion before I heard a peculiar rushing sound behind us, and looking around could gar and the other twenty-five 400-pounders, and the control of the sea into Portsmouth harbor, will be sea into Portsmouth harbor, will be the fright of the sheep, who would done the the fright of the sheep, who would done the the fright of the sheep, who would done to me. Fanny was a city girl, and had never seen a since passe as the monsters who are already thirst-ing for our blood."

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HOW DO YOU LIKE IT!

Why, Henry, what is the matter when we will be received at Spitbank and St. Helen's consisted of an orange-colored frock on the forest of the coli

which was fearful enough to scare a less day announcements were made, and inght after night Booth failed to appear. At last a riot was imminent, and the cally around them until they were excited and apparently doing their best to escape the fate behind them, but I was secretly holding them back, to allow the walves (?) to get closer. On came the

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Sad or pleasant nature could not be assected to revive her, I turned the horses homeward, and only stopped to pick up the robes which had been thrown out to check the ferocious animals. After driving a mile or two my now affianced wife revived sufficiently to hear how we sideration in a full season.

Now is the winter of our discontent.

When the soliloquy was ended, Booth was master of the field. All anger, all ving a mile or two my now affianced wife revived sufficiently to hear how we sideration in a full season.

armed with two tiers of guns, one tier

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All etters, whether upon business or otherwise, must be addressed to. most dangerous of any to meet. Driven by hunger they have approached the settlements, and unless our horses can go to the old 'Stone Tavern' in Parma before we are overtaken, we are lost."

At this juncture the old curly-horned leader, tired, and out of wind from the long run, gave vent to a prolonged bleat which was fearful enough to scare a less day anneuroments were made, and

secretly holding them back, to allow the wolves (?) to get closer. On came the bloody horde, panting for breath, nearer and nearer, until I began throwing out the buffalo robes and blankets. "These will keep them busy chewing a few minutes," I said, "and we may escape." But the sheep had no appetite for the robes, and were close behind us.

I arose in the sleigh, gave the reins to Fanny saying, "Drive for your life—I will saerfice myself for you," and made a movement as if to jump out of the sleigh. "Never! never!" she screamed, "we will die together," and she pulled me down beside her to await our fate. While thus employed I succeeded in obtaining a hasty avowal of Fanny, at the CHASED BY WOLVES.

While thus employed I succeeded in obtaining a hasty avowal of Fanny, at the the Wool Over his Sweetheart's ame time I was holding back the borses so as to let our pursuer go by.

Eyes - A Cieveland Reporter's Romance of Matton and Matrimony.

"Your speaking of being chased by wolves in the Canada woods, recalls a si, uilar experience I once had in Ohio," said the old pioneer, as he shook with supply essed emotion, but whether of a sad or pleasant nature could not be ascertained in the dim light of the fireward, and only stopped to pick up the canada word, and only stopped to pick up the certained in the dim light of the fireward, and only stopped to pick up the

wife revived sufficiently to hear how we were saved by a "party of sleigh-riders who met us just as we were surrounded."
Though nervous and weak from the excitement, she recovered her buoyancy of his mouth and pushed its way slowly down the wrinkles that led tohis stubble covered chin below. "Shut the door there—so that mother can't hear what is going on, and I will tell you how I came to get married."
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